TED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Bryan RAUDENBUSH

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For: ENHANCING ATHLETIC PERFORMANCE THROUGH THE ADMINISTRATION OF Filed: April 4, 2001

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Group Art Unit 3764

Examiner:

W. Matthews

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

In response to the Office Action mailed 13 February 2002, please amend the above-Sir: identified application as follows and enter the following remarks:

In the Claims

18.

Please amend claim 12 as follows:

12. (Amended)

A method according to claim 1, wherein the administration is through a mucous membrane.

Please add the following new claim:

A method of improving normal athletic performance of a mammal comprising administering to said mammal an olfactory stimulating amount of peppermint odorant.

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